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Nelson, Robert P.

From:

Ramirez, Adrienne

Sent:

Tuesday, January 24, 2006 1:04 PM

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Nelson, Robert P. Drafting request

Importance:

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Robert -

We just received notice that the Judiciary Committee will be holding an executive session on AB 680 on Thursday morning at 8:30 am. Rep. Staskunas would like to have an amendment drafted to this proposal.

Please draft a substitute amendment that would change the small claims maximum from \$5,000 to \$7,500. Include also the provisions in AA4 to AB 680, which splits the \$169 court support services surcharge 50/50 between the county and the state. Additionally, please include a portion of JFC Motion 313 from the budget provisions which would raise certain surcharges (excluding certain family court actions) in order to fully reimburse counties for their Guardian Ad Litem costs. Do not include reimbursement for Court Interpreters from JFC Motion 313. Finally, please include in this substitute amendment the filing fee of \$22 for small claims cases of \$5,000 or less, but raise it to \$75 for claims between \$5,000 and \$7,500. I believe this provision is included in ASA 1 to AB 680.

I will contact Chris Carmichael of the Fiscal Bureau to ask her to look into how we can change the wording on Motion 313 to only address GALs and what exact percentage would accomplish this. Either Chris or I will get back to you.

I apologize for this last minute, complicated drafting request. Please call if you have any questions.

Adrienne Office of Rep. Tony Staskunas

CIRCUIT COURTS

Court Interpreter and Guardians ad Litem Funding, Court Support Services Surcharge [LFB Paper #200]

Motion:

Move to adopt alternative #2 in LFB Issue Paper #200. In addition, provide \$4,869,900 GPR annually to increase state payments to counties for guardian ad litem costs. Increase the court support services surcharge as follows: (a) increase the \$51 court support services surcharge under current law to \$58 for certain small claims actions (including counterclaims or cross complaints), civil actions and special proceedings, third-party complaints or certain garnishment or wage earner actions, if the party paying the surcharge seeks the recovery of money and the amount claimed is \$5,000 or less; (b) increase the \$169 court support services surcharge under current law to \$190 for certain civil actions and special proceedings, third-party complaints or certain garnishment or wage earner actions, if the party paying the surcharge seeks the recovery of money and the amount claimed exceeds \$5,000; and (c) except for family actions under s. 767.02, increase the \$68 court support services surcharge under current law to \$77 for certain civil actions and special proceedings, third-party complaints, appeals from municipal court, reviews of administrative decisions or forfeiture actions in circuit court. Specify that the surcharge increases would first apply to actions commenced on the effective date of the bill.

Note:

The motion would adopt alternative #2 in LFB paper #200, which provides \$325,700 GPR in 2005-06 and \$465,600 GPR in 2006-07 (a change to AB 100 of -\$77,900 GPR in 2005-06 and -\$71,300 GPR in 2006-07) to increase state reimbursement to counties for court interpreter services. Statutory language would be modified to specify that, in all criminal and civil proceedings, if a court determines that the person has limited English proficiency and that an interpreter is necessary, the court must advise the person of their right to a qualified interpreter at the public's expense. The modification would first apply to actions commenced on the effective date of the bill.

Under current law, the state provides payments to counties for guardian ad litem costs, where

payment amounts are distributed based on each county's proportion of: (a) court branches; (b) revenue generated by the court support services surcharge; and (c) cases that would likely involve guardian ad litem services, as determined by the Director of State Courts. Current funding for guardian ad litem payments is \$4,738,500 GPR annually.

The motion would provide \$4,869,900 GPR annually for guardian ad litem payments for increased total funding of \$9,608,400 GPR annually. The motion would also increase the current court support services surcharge by approximately 13%, except for family actions under s. 767.02 (family actions include marriage, annulment, divorce, legal separation, custody, child support, maintenance payments, property division, and paternity actions) for which the \$68 surcharge would still apply. The surcharge increase is estimated to generate additional revenue of \$4,323,900 in 2005-06 and \$5,765,200 in 2006-07, to be deposited to the general fund. The estimated additional revenue in 2005-06 assumes a three month delay for implementations of the increased surcharge.

[Change to Bill: \$10,089,100 GPR-Rev and \$9,590,600 GPR]

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ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT 1, TO 2005 ASSEMBLY BILL 680

January 11, 2006 – Offered by Representative BALLWEG.

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V EDES

AN ACT to renumber and amend 814.62 (3) (a); to amend 799.01 (1) (c), 799.01

(1) (d) (intro.), 799.01 (2), 802.04 (1), 814.85 (1) (b), 814.85 (1) (c) and 814.85 (2);

and to create 799.01 (1) (e), 814.62 (3) (a) 2. and 814.85 (1) (bg) of the statutes;

relating to: the jurisdictional amount in small claims actions, the court support services surcharge, and circuit court filing fees. and making an appropriation

Analysis by the Legislative Reference Bureau

This bill increases the jurisdictional limit for small claims actions from \$5,000 to \$10,000, except that if the action arises out of a claim based on negligence, the limit remains \$5,000.

Currently, the filing fee for small claims actions is \$22, while the filing fee for large claims actions is generally \$75. This bill would retain the \$22 filing fee for small claims actions where the amount of the claim is \$5,000 or less, but raise it to \$75 for claims that exceed \$5,000.

Currently, the clerk of circuit court collects a \$169 court support services surcharge for large claims actions and a \$51 court support services surcharge for small claims actions, garnishment actions, and wage earner claims. This bill increases the amount of that surcharge to \$169 for small claims actions, garnishment actions, and wage earner claims where the amount of the claim exceeds \$5,000 but is less than \$10,000.

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For further information see the *state and local* fiscal estimate, which will be printed as an appendix to this bill.

The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows:

	enact as follows:
1	Section 1. 799.01 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:
2	799.01 (1) (c) <i>Replevins</i> . Actions for replevin under ss. 810.01 to 810.13 where
(3)	the value of the property claimed does not exceed \$5,000 \$10,000 \$7,500
4	SECTION 2. 799.01 (1) (d) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read:
5	799.01 (1) (d) Other civil actions. (intro.) Other civil actions where the amount
(6)	claimed is \$5,000 \$10,000 or less, if the actions or proceedings are:
(7)	Section 3. 799.01 (1) (e) of the statutes is created to read:
(8)	799.01 (1) (e) Negligence claims. Notwithstanding par. (d), civil actions arising
9	out of a claim based on negligence where the amount claimed is \$5,000 or less.
10	SECTION 4. 799.01 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:
11	799.01 (2) PERMISSIVE USE OF SMALL CLAIMS PROCEDURE. A taxing authority may
12	use the procedure in this chapter in an action to recover a tax from a person liable
13	for that tax where the amount claimed, including interest and penalties, is \$5,000
14)	\$10,000 or less. This chapter is not the exclusive procedure for those actions.
15	SECTION 5. 802.04 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:
16	802.04 (1) CAPTION. Every pleading shall contain a caption setting forth the
17	name of the court, the venue, the title of the action, the file number, and a designation
18	as in s. 802.01 (1). If a pleading contains motions, or an answer or reply contains
19	cross-claims or counterclaims, the designation in the caption shall state their

existence. In the complaint the caption of the action shall include the standardized

description of the case classification type and associated code number as approved

by the director of state courts, and the title of the action shall include the names and addresses of all the parties, indicating the representative capacity, if any, in which they sue or are sued and, in actions by or against a corporation, the corporate existence and its domestic or foreign status shall be indicated. In pleadings other than the complaint, it is sufficient to state the name of the first party on each side with an appropriate indication of other parties. Every pleading commencing an action under s. 814.61 (1) (a) or 814.62 (1) or (2) and every complaint filed under s. 814.61 (3) shall contain in the caption, if the action includes a claim for a money judgment, a statement of whether the amount claimed is greater than the amount under s. 799.01 (1) (d) or, if the claim is based on negligence, s. 799.01 (1) (e).

SECTION 814.62 (3) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 814.62 (3) (a) 1. and amended to read:

814.62 **(3)** (a) 1. In a small claims action under ch. 799 where the amount of the claim is \$5,000 or less, at the time of issuance of a summons or other process in a proceeding not commenced by a summons, the plaintiff shall pay to the clerk of court a fee of \$22.

SECTION **7.** 814.62 (3) (a) 2. of the statutes is created to read:

814.62 (3) (a) 2. In a small claims action under ch. 799 where the amount of the claim is more than \$5,000, at the time of issuance of a summons or other process in a proceeding not commenced by a summons, the plaintiff shall pay to the clerk of court a fee of \$75. Of the fees received by the clerk under this subdivision, the county treasurer shall pay \$45 to the secretary of administration for deposit in the general fund and shall retain the balance for the use of the county. The secretary of administration shall credit \$15 of the \$45 to the appropriation under s. 20.680 (2) (j).

SECTION 8. 814.85 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1	814.85 (1) (b) Notwithstanding par. (a), the clerk of circuit court shall charge
2	and collect a \$169 court support services surcharge from any person, including any
3	governmental unit, as defined in s. 108.02 (17), paying a fee under s. 814.61 (1) (a)
4	or (3) or 814.62 (1) or (2), if the party paying the fee seeks the recovery of money and
5	the amount claimed exceeds the amount under s. 799.01 (1) (d) or, if the claim is based
5	on negligence, s. 799.01 (1) (e)
7	SECTION 9. 814.85 (1) (bg) of the statutes is created to read:
8	814.85 (1) (bg) Notwithstanding par. (a), the clerk of circuit court shall charge
9	and collect a \$169 court support services surcharge from any person, including any
10	governmental unit, as defined in s. 108.02 (17), paying a fee under s. 814.61 (1) (a)
11	or (3) or 814.62 (1) or (2), if the party paying the fee seeks the recovery of money and
12	the amount claimed exceeds \$5,000 but is less than or equal to the amount under s.
13	799.01 (1) (d).
14	S ECTION 10. 814.85 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:
15	814.85 (1) (c) Notwithstanding par. (a), the clerk of circuit court shall charge
16	and collect a \$51 court support services surcharge from any person, including any
17	governmental unit, as defined in s. 108.02 (17), paying a fee under s. 814.62 (3) (a)
18	or (b), or paying a fee under s. 814.61 (1) (a) or (3) or 814.62 (1) or (2) if the party
19	paying the fee seeks the recovery of money and the amount claimed is equal to or less
20	than the amount under s. 799.01 (1) (d) \$5.000.
21	S ECTION 11 . 814.85 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:
22	814.85 (2) The clerk shall pay the moneys collected under sub. (1) to the county
23	treasurer under s. 59.40 (2) (m). The county treasurer shall pay those the moneys
24	collected under sub. (1) (a), (b), and (c) to the secretary of administration under s.
25)	59.25 (3) (p) and shall pay 50 percent of the money collected under sub. (1) (bg) to the

secretary of administration under s. 59.25 (3) (p), and retain the balance for the use 1 2 of the county. 3 SECTION 12. Initial applicability. 4 (1) This act first applies to actions commenced or claims made on the effective date of this subsection. 5 Section 13. Effective date. 6 7 (1) This act takes effect on the first day of the 4th month beginning after publication. 8 9 (END) Ingert 5-2

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2	SECTION 1. 814.85 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:
3	814.85 (1) (a) Except for an action for a first violation of s. 23.33 (4c) (a) 2.
4	30.681 (1) (b) 1., 346.63 (1) (b), or 350.101 (1) (b), if the person who committed the
5	violation had a blood alcohol concentration of 0.08 or more but less than 0.1 at the
6	time of the violation, or for a safety belt use violation under s. 347.48 (2m), the clerk
7	of circuit court shall charge and collect a \$68 \$77 court support services surcharge
8	from any person, including any governmental unit as defined in s. 108.02 (17), paying
9	a fee under s. 814.61 (1) (a), (3), or (8) (am) or 814.63 (1).
10	History: 1993 a. 16; 1995 a. 27, 201, 417; 2001 a. 109; 2003 a. 30, 33; 2003 a. 139 ss. 197 to 200; Stats. 2003 s. 814.85; 2003 a. 326 ss. 123 to 125.
11	insert 5–2
12	Section Appropriation changes.
13	(1) GUARDIAN AD LITEM COSTS. In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the
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16	\$4,869,900 for fiscal year 2006-07 for the purpose for which the appropriation is
17	made.

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Bob -

I am sending the stripes back to you. As you probably are aware, we need to bring the negligence provision into the Substitute that had been in AA 1 to the bill.

If you have any questions, please let me know.

Thanks again!

Adrienne

Office of Rep. Tony Staskunas

From:

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Robert,

THANK YOU.

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ASSEMBLY SUBSTITUTE AMENDMENT,

TO 2005 ASSEMBLY BILL 680



 $f AN\ ACT$ to renumber and amend $f 814.62\,(3)\,(a);$ to amend $f 799.01\,(1)\,(c),\, 799.01$

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2 (1) (d) (intro.), 799.01 (2), 814.85 (1) (a), 814.85 (1) (b), 814.85 (1) (c) and 814.85 3 (2); and to create 814.62 (3) (a) 2. and 814.85 (1) (bg) of the statutes; relating 4 to: the jurisdictional amount in small claims actions, the court support services surcharge, circuit court filing fees, and making an appropriation. 5 The people of the state of Wisconsin, represented in senate and assembly, do enact as follows: 6 **SECTION 1.** 799.01 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read: 7 799.01 (1) (c) Replevins. Actions for replevin under ss. 810.01 to 810.13 where 8 the value of the property claimed does not exceed \$5,000 \$7,500. 9 **SECTION 2.** 799.01 (1) (d) (intro.) of the statutes is amended to read: 10 799.01 (1) (d) Other civil actions. (intro.) Other civil actions where the amount claimed is \$5,000 \$7,500 or less, if the actions or proceedings are: 11 INS **SECTION 3.** 799.01 (2) of the statutes is amended to read: 12

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1	799.01 (2) PERMISSIVE USE OF SMALL CLAIMS PROCEDURE. A taxing authority may
2	use the procedure in this chapter in an action to recover a tax from a person liable
3	for that tax where the amount claimed, including interest and penalties, is \$5,000
4	\$7,500 or less. This chapter is not the exclusive procedure for those actions.
5	SECTION 4. 814.62 (3) (a) of the statutes is renumbered 814.62 (3) (a) 1. and
6	amended to read:
7	814.62 (3) (a) 1. In a small claims action under ch. 799 where the amount of the
8	claim is \$5,000 or less, at the time of issuance of a summons or other process in a
9	proceeding not commenced by a summons, the plaintiff shall pay to the clerk of court
10	a fee of \$22.
11	SECTION 5. 814.62 (3) (a) 2. of the statutes is created to read:
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SECTION 6. 814.85 (1) (a) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1	from any person, including any governmental unit as defined in s. 108.02 (17), paying
2	a fee under s. 814.61 (1) (a), (3), or (8) (am) or 814.63 (1).
3	SECTION 7. 814.85 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:
4	814.85 (1) (b) Notwithstanding par. (a), the clerk of circuit court shall charge
5	and collect a \$169 <u>\$190</u> court support services surcharge from any person, including
6	any governmental unit, as defined in s. 108.02 (17), paying a fee under s. 814.61 (1)
7	(a) or (3) or 814.62 (1) or (2), if the party paying the fee seeks the recovery of money
8	and the amount claimed exceeds the amount under s. 799.01 (1) (d).
9	SECTION 8. 814.85 (1) (bg) of the statutes is created to read:
10	814.85 (1) (bg) Notwithstanding par. (a), the clerk of circuit court shall charge
11	and collect a \$190 court support services surcharge from any person, including any
12	governmental unit, as defined in s. $108.02(17)$, paying a fee under s. $814.61(1)(a)$
13	or (3) or 814.62 (1) or (2), if the party paying the fee seeks the recovery of money and
14	the amount claimed exceeds \$5,000 but is less than or equal to the amount under s.
15	799.01 (1) (d).
16	SECTION 9. 814.85 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:
17	814.85 (1) (c) Notwithstanding par. (a), the clerk of circuit court shall charge
18	and collect a \$51 \$58 court support services surcharge from any person, including
19	any governmental unit, as defined in s. 108.02 (17), paying a fee under s. 814.62 (3)
20	(a) or (b), or paying a fee under s. 814.61 (1) (a) or (3) or 814.62 (1) or (2) if the party
21	paying the fee seeks the recovery of money and the amount claimed is equal to or less
22	than the amount under s. 799.01 (1) (d).
23	Section 10. 814.85 (2) of the statutes is amended to read:

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1	to the secretary of administration under s. $59.25(3)(p)$ and shall pay 50 percent of
2	the moneys collected under sub. (1) (bg) to the secretary of administration under s.
3	59.25 (3) (p), and retain the balance for the use of the county.
4	Section 11. Appropriation changes.
5	(1) GUARDIAN AD LITEM COSTS. In the schedule under section 20.005 (3) of the
6	statutes for the appropriation to the director of state courts under section 20.625 (1)
7	(e) of the statutes, as affected by the acts of 2005, the dollar amount is increased by
8	\$4,869,900 for fiscal year 2006-07 for the purpose for which the appropriation is
9	made.
10	SECTION 12. Initial applicability.
11	(1) This act first applies to actions commenced or claims made on the effective
12	date of this subsection.
13	Section 13. Effective date.
14	(1) This act takes effect on the first day of the 4th month beginning after
15	publication.
16	(END)

ASSEMBLY AMENDMENT 1, TO 2005 ASSEMBLY BILL 680

October 20, 2005 - Offered by Representative BALLWEG.

1	At the locations indicated, amend the bill as follows:
2	1. Page 1, line 9: after that line insert:
3	SECTION 2m. 799.01 (1) (e) of the statutes is created to read:
4	799.01 (1) (e) Negligence claims. Notwithstanding par. (d), civil actions arising
5	out of a claim based on negligence where the amount claimed is \$5,000 or less.".
6	2. Page 2, line 5: after that line insert:
7	"Section 3c. 802.04 (1) of the statutes is amended to read:
8	802.04 (1) Caption. Every pleading shall contain a caption setting forth the \hat{a}
9	name of the court, the venue, the title of the action, the file number, and a designation
10	as in s. 802.01 (1). If a pleading contains motions, or an answer or reply contains
11	cross-claims or counterclaims, the designation in the caption shall state their
12	existence. In the complaint the caption of the action shall include the standardized
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Section 32. 814.85 (1) (b) of the statutes is amended to read:

and collect a \$169 court support services surcharge from any person, including any governmental unit, as defined in s. 108.02 (17), paying a fee under s. 814.61 (1) (a) or (3) or 814.62 (1) or (2), if the party paying the fee seeks the recovery of money and the amount claimed exceeds the amount under s. 799.01 (1) (d) or, if the claim is based on negligence, s. 799.01 (1) (e).

SECTION 3m. 814.85 (1) (c) of the statutes is amended to read:

814.85 (1) (c) Notwithstanding par. (a), the clerk of circuit court shall charge 3-22 and collect a \$51 court support services surcharge from any person, including any governmental unit, as defined in s. 108.02 (17), paying a fee under s. 814.62 (3) (a) or (b), or paying a fee under s. 814.61 (1) (a) or (3) or 814.62 (1) or (2) if the party paying the fee seeks the recovery of money and the amount claimed is equal to or less



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than the amount under s. 799.01 (1) (d) or, if the claim is based on negligence, s.

2 799.01 (1) (e)

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(END)